

Delivery Strategy/Instructional Strategy

Delivery Strategy

- The medium by which the instruction is presented
- Formats may include:
 - o Classroom, Instructor-led, Expert-led, Self-study, (CBT), CD, Video Conference, Business Simulation, Audio Conferencing, Web

Instructional Strategy

- The method by which the skills and information are required
- Formats may include:
 - o Lecture, Demonstration, Workshop, Walkthrough, Exercise Simulation, Discussion, Case Study, Goal-Based Scenario, Game, Reading

Factors Delivery Strategy/Instructional Strategy

For each training program, the following factors need to be considered:

- Content
 - o Type of content (Task Based vs. Conceptual)
 - o Applicability of content
 - o Estimated length of training
 - o Need for consistency
 - o Shelf-life of content, project stability of training material content
 - o Ability to reuse training
 - o Importance of access to expert information, or need for real-time coaching and feedback (interactive instruction)
 - o Need to simulate the 'live' environment
 - o Criticality of task to business objectives and related business events (importance of opportunities for safe practice environment vs. on-the-job learning)
 - o Educational objectives (Knowledge, Comprehension, Application, Analysis, Synthesis, Evaluation) and applicability of delivery method
- Delivery Logistics
 - o Number of users/audience size
 - o Geographical distribution of users
 - o Time available to roll out training
 - o Availability of user's time
 - o Existing training facilities
 - o Implementation considerations
- Costs
 - o Budget, time and resources available to develop training
 - o Budget, time and resources available to deliver training
 - o Maintenance costs (depends on stability of content)
- Other
 - o Appropriateness for audience type
 - o Success of previous training rollouts
 - o Ability to measure proficiency
 - o User Characteristics
 - o Impact on a User's Job
 - o Volatility of the system in a given functional area - How likely is the system functionality to change with the next implementation?